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MINCULT AND PAGART REPS

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SUMMARY. CU/ARTS MET WITH MINCULT AND PAGART REPS JUNE 18. IT WAS SATISFACTORY MEETING IN THAT TEAM CONVEYED VIEW THAT PLANS FOR U.S. VISIT POLISH OPERA COMPANY (TEATR WIEKI) DURING BICENTENNIAL YEAR WELL ON TRACK. TEAM SUGGESTED POSSIBLE VISIT U.S. DURING BICENTENNIAL BY POLISH SYMPHONY, DANCE AND DRAMA GROUP; ALSO CONVEYED IMPRESSION THAT CLIMATE GOOD FOR SENDING TO POLAND MORE THAN ONE AMERICAN PERFORMING ARTS GROUP DURING BICENTENNIAL YEAR.

1. ACCORDING IKANOWICZ AND KOSLOWICZ APPEARANCE POLISH OPERA IN U.S. BEING HANDLED DIRECTLY BY TADEUSZ MIELNICKI. BASED ON DEPT INFORMATION, MIELNICKI IS HEAD IMPORT/EXPORT FIRM POLARMART; HAS CONNECTIONS IN POLAND THROUGH EXPORT/IMPORT BUSINESS. MIELNICKI HAS WORKED OCCASIONALLY AS LOCAL MANAGER FOR PERFORMING ARTS GROUPS.

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2. PLANS UNDERWAY FOR SIX-WEEK TOUR OF POLISH OPERA

IN SIX CITIES BEGINNING LATE SEPTEMBER; OPENING AT WOLF TRAP FARM, WITH APPEARANCES ALSO IN NEW YORK CITY, CHICAGO, BUFFALO, WILMINGTON AND POSSIBLY PHILADELPHIA. COMPANY CONSISTING OF APPROXIMATELY 300 PERSONS, WILL PRESENT THREE OPERAS (TWO POLISH, ONE ITALIAN) AS WELL ONE BALLET.

3. RE AMERICAN PERFORMING GROUPS. IKANOWICZ AND OTHER MEMBERS EXPRESSED INTEREST IN WELL-KNOWN OR PRESTIGIOUS GROUPS IN BALLET, JAZZ, SYMPHONY ORCHESTRAS, DRAMA. ALSO WISHED SEND YOUNG TALENTED SOLOISTS FOR PROGRAMMING AT U.S. UNIVERSITIES. TEAM MEMBERS AWARE OF PROJECTED TOUR LOS ANGELES SYMPHONY AND AMERICAN PARTICIPATION AT JAZZ JAMBOREE. ON DRAMA GROUPS, IKANOWICZ SUGGESTED AMERICAN PARTICIPATION WROCLAW OPEN THEATER FESTIVAL BY TOP QUALITY STUDENT THEATER GROUP WHICH INVOLVED IN AVANT GARDE OR EXPERIMENTAL THEATER. IKANOWICZ AWARENESS OF AMERICAN COLLEGE THEATER FESTIVAL (ACTF) REFLECTED HIS PROPOSAL HAVE ONE OF REGIONAL FINALISTS OF THIS FESTIVAL APPEAR AT WROCLAW. CU/ARTS INDICATED INTEREST IN PROPOSAL AND AGREED EXPLORE POSSIBLE PARTICIPATION AT WROCLAW BY ACTF. KISSINGER

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